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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Charlton et al.

Serial No.: 09/548,826

Filed: April 13, 2000

For: METHOD FOR STORING FAILING

PART LOCATION IN A MODULE

Confirmation No.: 7750

Examiner: C. Britt

Group Art Unit: 2133

Attorney Docket No.: 2269-4076US

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COMMUNICATION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith a copy of a Preliminary Amendment for the above-captioned application that was originally submitted July 25, 2000 to be included in the records.

Per a telephone conversation between Applicants' undersigned attorney and the Examiner on April 27, 2005, the Examiner indicated that the Preliminary Amendment could not be found in the records. As a result, Applicants' undersigned attorney sent a Fax of the Preliminary Amendment to the Examiner for consideration. In addition, the Examiner requested that a hard copy of the Preliminary Amendment be sent, to be certain it was included in the records.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Charlton et al.

Serial No.: 09/548,826

Filed: April 12, 2000

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STORING FAILING PART LOCATIONS

IN A MODULE

Examiner: Unknown

Group Art Unit: 2824

Attorney Docket No.: 4076US (99-01860)

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Joseph A. Walkowski
Typed/printed name of person whose signature is contained above

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please revise the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 2, line 26, change "include" to --includes--;

On page 3, line 14, after "et al.," insert --each of-- and at the end of the line, change "are each" to --is--;

On page 3, line 21, delete "Each of" and thereafter change "the" to --The--;

On page 3, line 23, delete the comma after "22";

On page 3, line 25, change "18 and 20" to --18, 20 and 22--;